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LR 25

Legislature, I had handed out on your desks today some information about donating blood and I introduced LR 25 on behalf of the Community Blood Bank. The Blood Bank is recruiting state employees and elected officials across the nation to volunteer as blood donors this month. Today is the day for the special appeal to state employees. On the national scene, our own Senator Kerrey is helping lead the way by his own blood donation. I urge each of you to consider giving blood if you are able. I know some of you do it already. If you have ever needed blood, you understand how vital it is to give it. I'd appreciate it if...we are today in the basement of the State Building. There are...the Blood Mobile is there and they'd appreciate your...your help for giving blood. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator. Seeing no discussion, would you like to close? Motion before us is the adoption of LR 25. Those in favor vote aye; those opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 32 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the Adoption of LR 25.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The motion to adopt LR 25 is successful. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, some items, thank you. Hearing notices from the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee, signed by Senator Schimek, as Chair. Your Committee on Banking, Commerce, and Insurance reports LB 259 to General File with amendments attached. And I also have a hearing notice from the Revenue Committee, that signed by Senator Wickersham, as Chair, Mr. President. (See pages 354-356 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, that's all that I have.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senators, before we proceed, Senator Connealy would like to announce that his brother, Dick Connealy, from Decatur, Chairman of the Papio-Middle Missouri NRD, is joining us this morning, under the north balcony. Welcome, Mr. Connealy. Mr. Clerk.